

## Notice of Availability

The U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Norfolk District (USACE), has completed a **Draft Environmental Assessment (EA) entitled “Sandbridge Beach Erosion Control and Hurricane Protection Project Virginia Beach, Virginia.”** The purpose of the project is to provide protection from erosion induced damages including limited protection to the beach and to residential structures from storm damage. The EA was prepared by the USACE in cooperation with the U.S. Department of Interior, Minerals Management Service, to present the impacts that could potentially result from beach nourishment at Sandbridge and the associated sand mining from an offshore borrow site for continuing maintenance of beach nourishment and storm damage reduction.

The EA is electronically available for viewing and copying at the Norfolk District website (under “FONSI/ Environmental Assessments”) at:

[http://www.nao.usace.army.mil/projects/Civil%20Works%20Projects/Sandbridge\\_Erosion\\_Control/homepage.asp](http://www.nao.usace.army.mil/projects/Civil%20Works%20Projects/Sandbridge_Erosion_Control/homepage.asp)

Hard copies are available to the public to review at three local Virginia Beach libraries: Meyera E. Oberndorf Central Library, Princess Anne Area Library, & Oceanfront Area Library

Additionally, a hard copy will be sent upon written request to [elisabeth.j.sears@usace.army.mil](mailto:elisabeth.j.sears@usace.army.mil), 757-201-7766 or at the following address:

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